## **Trail Conditions**

## Middle Fork Ranger District - Update as of July 26, 2012

Trail work on the Middle Fork District is being accomplished by a multi-purpose crew whose members are: Bryan Parker, Andy Bond and four Student Conservation Association interns. Work on trails will also be accomplished with help from the Treasure Valley Backcountry Horseman, The Selway Bitterroot Frank Church Foundation, the Idaho Trails Association and others. In addition to routine trail maintenance, improvement and signing this crew is responsible for: trail condition assessment and database management; campsite inventory and monitoring; campsite naturalization and pack out of garbage left behind by visitors; airstrip management and maintenance; wilderness access management and maintenance that includes 8 road portals, 26 primary trailheads and associated signing; public contact, education and law enforcement; outfitter and guide camp inspections; winter patrols; support and coordination of resource related work.

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| 4123      |     | BRIDGE CREEK RIDGE     | 10.4          | Unit 1   | 2003          | not           | not maintained       | 2003: Trail fades in & out, very steep descent to junction with Warm Springs - not maintained.  |
| 4100      |     | CACHE CREEK            | 8.9           | Unit 1   | 2002          |               |                      | Heavily impacted from the Red Bluff Fire of 2006, expect many downed trees and rocks on the trail   |
| 4134.06   |     | CAMAS - EDDY CR.       | 9.2           | Unit 1   | 2002          |               |                      | 2002-Trail is a road grade for 8.5 miles upstream from Meyer's Cove. Fly Creek to J Fell Creek is a tough section of unmaintained trail with many creek crossings. Trail tread improves after leaving Camas Creek. Expect logs, rocks and brush |
| 4004      | 044 | CAMAS CREEK            | 20.0          | Unit 1   | 2011          | 2012          |                      | 2012-Generally good trail from Meyer's Cove to junction with Middle Fork Trail.  Cleared to standard in May 2011.   |
| 4235      |     | CAMAS MEADOW           | 3.0           | Unit 1   | 2010          | 2010          |                      | Trail cleared from the Morgan Creek side to the meadow in 2010, rough conditions below the meadow.  |
| 4098      | 098 | COVE CREEK             | 1.4           | Unit 1   | 2003          |               |                      | 5/24/2003 Trail junction is visible from Grouse Creek Trail but not signed. Trail junction with Macarte Ridge OK. Trail is faint to non-existent. Trail in OK condition with some trees, and narrow tread. 2002-Steep, open ridge trail         |
| 4099      |     | COW CREEK              | 7.6           | Unit 1   | 2002          |               |                      | 2002- Trail starts from Simplot Ranch. Good tread up switchbacks to ridge. After ridge, there are many game trails which make locating trail difficult on open sagebrush slopes. Trail occasionally reappears in timber                         |
| 4087      |     | FISH LAKE              | 2.3           | Unit 1   | 2003          | not           | Trail not maintained | 2003: trail is mostly gone, junction not signed. 2001-Trail has not been maintained   |

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| 4127       | FLUME - S. FK CAMAS | 10.0           | Unit 1   | 2001         |                 |                             | 2001- Starts at Camas Creek, ends at Liberty Ridge. Generally good trail, upper section has several creek crossings, some trees down but passable  |
| 4124       | FLY CREEK           | 3.5            | Unit 1   | 2002         |                 |                             | 2002- First two miles from Sleeping Deer are in excellent condition. Trail becomes less defined, trenched, creek running down trail. Junction with Camas Creek trail is undefined.   |
| 4085       | GROUSE CREEK        | 7.1            | Unit 1   | 2002         | 2002            |                             | 2002- Was chopped out but trail tread is rough Upper portion has lots of logs and some good treas. Plenty of Water. Section two miles above MF trail junction is very steep.   |
| 4248       | HOT CREEK RIDGE     | 6.5            | Unit 1   | 2001         |                 |                             | 2001- Trail is seldom used. Expect at least 150 trees. Trail tread has disappeared in many places. Dangerous for stock.  |
| 4120       | KERR CREEK          | 1.9            | Unit 1   |              | 2004            |                             | Burned by the Showerbath Fire of 2007. Parker Mtn. road may be impassable.   |
| 4126       | LIBERTY CREEK RIDGE | 7.0            | Unit 1   | 2001         |                 |                             | 2001- Trail starts from Sleeping Deer Road, and is lost in an old burn for 1.5 miles.  Narrow tread with loose rocks until junction with Flume Creek Trail.  |
| 4097       | MACATRE RIDGE       | 7.2            | Unit 1   | 2001         |                 |                             | 2001 -Trail generally good, with intermittent periods of undefined trail. Steep.   |
| 4121       | MAHONEY CREEK       | 5.0            | Unit 1   | 2010         | 2010            |                             | Cleared of all trees in July of 2010. 7/20/05 - cleared, brushy toward warm springs. 2004 Trail condition OK 3 logs down. 2003: Train cleared, good condition. 2001-Recommend using trail from Fly Creek Trailhead. Trail that is signed is very steep and eroded. Otherwise good. |
| 4103       | MARTIN MOUNTIAN     | 7.5            | Unit 1   | 2009         | 2009            | Water available<br>at lakes | Mostly cleared in 2009. 7/20/05 - trail cleared, 8/5/02- Trail chopped out but needs lots of tread work. Can get stock through, but rough, bring a crosscut saw. Built by Civilian Conservation Corps (CCC's) Generally great trail on ridge with great views.                     |
| 4130       | MELVILLE RIDGE      | 3.0            | Unit 1   |              |                 |                             | Steep. Expect downed trees   |
| 4129       | POLE CREEK          | 5.0            | Unit 1   |              |                 |                             | 2001- First mile from Sleeping Deer Road in good condition. Subsequent trail is steep and challenging for stock Intermittent, undefined trail tread.   |
| 4213       | ROCK LAKE           | 0.5            | Unit 1   | 2009         |                 |                             | Trail in good condition  |
| 4212       | SLEEPING DEER LO    | 2.0            | Unit 1   | 2009         | 2009            |                             | 7/20/05 - narrow tread, cleared, 2001- Trail is generally good with portions of thin tread   |
| 4125       | SOUTH FORK CAMAS    | 9.3            | Unit 1   | 2001         |                 |                             | 2001- From Sleeping Deer Road trail passes through burn, many down logs. Middle section is in creek bed. Lower section has no defined trail.   |

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| 4104       |     | WARM SPRINGS CREEK     | 21.5     | Unit 1   | 2003         | 2007             | Rock slide over<br>trail at junction<br>with Loon Creek<br>makes this trail<br>inaccessible to<br>stock at the<br>lower end. | Upper two miles rebuilt in 2007, rough going below. 2003: 5 miles of trail cleared from Triple Creek Ranch to Junction with Trapper. Trail below Triple Creek Ranch has very narrow slide sections. 8/2001- Trail from Mahoney to Trapper Creek crosses creek six times and has low-quality tread. Cleared 2001 and this section passable to stock. Rock slide over trail at junction with Loon Creek makes this trail inaccessible to stock at the lower end. |
| 4128       |     | WEST FK CAMAS          | 11.1     | Unit 1   | 2011         | 2011             |  | 8/15/2011 Trail cleared of most trees. 7/20/05 - trail cleared, 8/2002- Trail was Cleared but is in need of tread work- mostly passable to stock. 8/2001-Generally good trail. Several creek crossings towards Meyer's Cove, one ford of Camas Creek. Expect at least 60 logs.   |
| 4141       |     | WHITE GOAT CREEK       | 4.3      | Unit 1   | 2001         |                  |  | 2001-Generally passable. Short (<1000 yards) section dangerous for stock. Section from lake to ridge (0.5 mile) is in good shape.  |
| 4211       |     | WHITE GOAT RIDGE       | 6.2      | Unit 1   | 2001         | 2010             |  | Cleared to White Goat lake in 2010, expect downed trees below White Goat Lake.   |
| 4132       |     | WOODTICK CREEK         | 7.3      | Unit 1   | 2011         | 2011             |  | 8/6/2002- Trail was cleared, but ford at bottom is bad. 2001 -Camas Creek ford can be tricky, especially at higher flows. Woodtick trail has continuous grade, nice tread, and is kept mostly clear of logs by outfitters.   |
| 4133       |     | WOODTICK CUTOFF        | 3.4      | Unit 1   | 2001         |                  |  | 2001- Steep trail, generally in good condition. Good camp with water one mile below Martin Mtn. Summit.  |
| 4131       |     | WOODTICK RIDGE         | 13.4     | Unit 1   | 2002         |                  | No water available.  | 8/3/02- Lots of blow down-but got through with stock. 2001- Trail is steep and has some very narrow failing sections. Trail passable by stock. Expect some trees.  |
| 4033.06    | 033 | BEAVER - TRAIL CREEK   | 9.3      | Unit 2   | 2011         | 2011             |  | June 2011 - Trail cleared to standard from Loon Creek Guard Station to the third creek crossing approximately 5 miles downstream.  |
| 4113.06    |     | CABIN CREEK            | 5.5      | Unit 2   | 2009         | 2009             | Canyon is tight<br>with limited<br>camping.  | 2009 Cleared of most trees. 2005 - heading up the trail; switchbacks are brushy. Past that tread needs to be widened along a traverse further on for the next few miles. the trail is cut open until the campsite @ Pioneer Creek. 2001- Trail starts from Sleeping Deer Ridge and switchbacks down to Triple Springs area. Trail follows creek most of the way to Falconberry.  |
| 4003       | 003 | CASTLE FORK            | 3.2      | Unit 2   | 2011         | 2011             |  | Cleared In August of 2011. 6/20/2003-Trail cleared of trees. Overgrown and steep in some sections.   |
| 4116       |     | COLD CREEK             | _        | Unit 2   |              |                  |  |  |
| 4107       |     | COLD SPRINGS CR.       | 4.5      | Unit 2   | 0000         | 0000             |  | Expect down trees and difficult conditions   |
| 4117       |     | COTTONWOOD CREEK       | 6.3      | Unit 2   | 2009         | 2009             |  | Trail cleared in 2009, Outfitters clear to access camps in the area.   |

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| 4002      |               | COUGAR CREEK                   | 7.1            | Unit 2   | 2011         | 2011           | Burn area near<br>Hood Creek | 08/2011-Trail cleared to standard, and tread rebuilt from Cougar Point to the Middle Fork of the Salmon River. Nice trail built by CCC's. Cold spring located near old lookout cabin at Cougar Point. Upper portion burned in 2007.  |
| 4202.06   |               | CRIMSON LAKE                   | 1.0            | Unit 2   | 2010         | 2010           |                              | 2010 Trail cleared of all trees to Crimson Lake. 2004 Trail cleared 2001- trail is steep, but is in good condition to lake. Trail cleared. 2000- Trail reconstructed and maintained  |
| 4111      | not on<br>map | DEER CREEK                     | 4.0            | Unit 2   | 2005         |                |                              | 2005 - good shape, passable. 6/20/2003-Trail is in good shape, but not shown on the map. There are signs at both ends of the trail.  |
| 4114.06   |               | EAST MAYFIELD - YANKEE<br>FORK | 14.1           | Unit 2   | 2009         | 2009           | Bring water shoes            | Cleared from trailhead to lbex Creek in October of 2009. 2005 - logs fell and piled up in the trail therefore users were beating new trails off of tread. 2001- Trail is in good condition, but crossed creek six-plus times between trailhead and lbex Creek. Climb to Trapper Creek Pass-tread is narrow and disappears in many places.  Cleared 2001.   |
| 4112      |               | HORSE LADDER                   | 5.7            | Unit 2   |              |                |                              |  |
| 4108      |               | JACK CREEK                     | 9.2            | Unit 2   | 2010         | 2010           |                              | 2010- Cleared and brushed. Trail leaves from Indian Springs. Guard station and follows old road grade to Falconberry G.S. Good trail with moderate grade   |
| 4036.06   |               | KNAPP - LOON CREEK             | 13.5           | Unit 2   | 2010         | 2012           |                              | 2012 160 trees removed 50 remain in the trail may me difficult to get stock to Horseshoe Lake.2010 Trail cleared from Guard Station to Horseshoe Lake. Trees remained from Horseshoe Lake to Knapp Cr. 2005 - trail is cut open to loon divide 2.5 miles is left to cut from Knapp cr. (side inside wilderness boundary) 2003: Trail cleared - in good to fair condition.  |
| 4004      |               | LITTLE LOON                    | 12.2           | Unit 2   | 2001         |                |                              | 6/2003- Trail winds in and out of stream for the first 5 miles due to dynamic conditions. All of this drainage has been burnt, many down trees and narrow tread. Passable from Castle Fork to Sheep MTN., below Castle Fork trail obliterated by many slides. 2001- First mile above MF junction is ok. Above this, trail crosses creek several times, and disappears 3.5 miles from MF. Trail has heavy blow down in upper portion. |
| 4101      | 101           | LOON CREEK                     | 14.0           | Unit 2   | 2011         | 2012           |                              | Trail is in fair condition,a few steep, narrow, rocky sections. Trail cleared as of July 26 2012 from the Phillips Creek Trailhead to the Bennett Creek Bridge. A ford of Loon Creek is required below Yellow Cat Cr. due to a landslide.  |
| 4105      |               | LOON CREEK POINT               | 7.2            | Unit 2   | 2011         | 2011           |                              | 08/2011-Trail cleared to standard, tread repaired and drainage structures improved from Indian Springs to Cougar Point.  |

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| 4208       | 208  | POTTERVINE               | 2.9       | Unit 2   | 2003          |                 |   | 6/2003- trail passable- 5 passable logs down  |
| 4115       |      | RAT CREEK                |           | Unit 2   | 2005          | 2000            |   | 2005 - tread needs to be widened, 8 miles of trail clear, past that is unknown  |
| 4035.06    |      | SHEEP CREEK (WINNEMUCCA) | 4.0       | Unit 2   |               |                 |   |   |
| 4119       |      | TRAPPER CREEK            | 9.0       | Unit 2   |               |                 |   | Expect down trees and difficult conditions  |
| 4010       | 111  | BEAR VALLEY MARSH CREEK  | 4.2       | Unit 3   |               | 2011            |   | 2011: Cleared from the Trailhead to Big Hole.   |
| 4023       |      | BERNARD CREEK            | 4.3       | Unit 3   | 2011          | 2010            |   | May 2010 First three miles cleared to standard.   |
| 4015       | 015  | BIG SOLDIER              | 5.5       | Unit 3   | 2005          | 2010            |   | Trail cleared July 2011. July 2005 -lookout not safe to walk on. 2002-This trail descends 1/2 mile from the lookout and ends at a spring. THIS TRAIL DOES NOT DESCEND TO THE MIDDLE FORK OF THE SALMON RIVER -USE TRAIL 013 TO REACH MIDDLE FORK RIVER FROM THIS AREA.  |
| 4214       |      | BLUE BUNCH MTN.          | 3.8       | Unit 3   | 2009          | 2009            |   | 2009- Cleared to ridge top. This steep Ttail leaves Fir Creek Campground and climbs up ridge. Trail dead-ends at top of Blue Bunch MTN. Some springs off trail near ridge   |
| 4011       | 011  | BLUE LAKE                | 5.3       | Unit 3   | 2003          |                 |   | 5/20/2003- Trail is non-existent between Fur Farm and Blue Lake. Stock appear to wind around trees to lake. Trail from Pinyon Road to Lake has 275 trees but tread is visible.  |
| 4102       |      | CABIN CREEK              | 8.5       | Unit 3   | 2009          | 2009            |   | Cleared of most trees 2009.   |
| 4027       |      | CAMPTENDER               | 12.0      | Unit 3   | 2010          | 2010            | Passes through old burn most of it's length | Mostly cleared summer of 2010. Aug. 2005 - Most of the trail is on top of a ridge system and burn area. There are lots and lots of trees down. Original Tread is barely holding.  |
| 4019       |      | CUTTHROAT                | 5.5       | Unit 3   | 2011          | 2012            |   | July 2012 trail cleared to Cutthroat Lake. 2010 trail cleared to junction 013. Trail is in mostly good shape but can be rocky in places. Cleared most years.  |
| 4012       |      | DUFFIELD CREEK           | 7.6       | Unit 3   | 2001          | 2002            |   | 8/21/02- Cut, cleared and grubbed 2.5 miles from Sheep Mtn. Road.   |
| 4020       | 021  | FALL CREEK               | 7.8       | Unit 3   |               |                 |   | 2010 Trail cleared from junction 022 to junction 020. some deadfall in lower sections, USFS map is inaccurate, does not go around larger lake, lake is 3000 ft down, skirts upper lake in region which is also not on map Trail is very steep from top until 2 miles from MF junction. Also some Mud holes Between top and S. Fork Fall junction. Burn section about 1/2 mile from junction with the MF trail (trees come down often) |
| 4006       |      | HARD SCRABBLE            | 11.5      | Unit 3   | 2004          |                 |   | Lots of downfall and hard to find in places   |
| 4014       | Q102 | LANGER LAKE              |           | Unit 3   |               |                 |   | 2012 Trail cleared from Langer Trailhead to junction 022. Lake areas are fragile.  Please choose an appropriate campsite for stock. Try not to stay at Island Lake W/  Stock, campsite is heavily impacted.   |

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| 4237       | 111 | MARSH CREEK          | 4.7            | Unit 3   | 2011         | 2012           |   | Trail cleared to Big Hole as of June 2012. Good trail to confluence with Bear Valley Cr.   |
| 4232       |     | MOREHEAD MTN         | 2.9            | Unit 3   | 2010         | 2010           |   | Cleared 2010 from road to Lookout.   |
| 4028       |     | MOUNTAIN MEADOWS     | 3.1            | Unit 3   | 2005         | 2003           | Good Trail,<br>steep to<br>meadow   | Sept. 2003: Trail cleared from Bear Valley Mountain LO to Camptender trail. Expect logs, as trail is in old burn. 2001- Trail has several hundred trees on it. Rough road to trailhead. Trail fades in and out in meadow.  |
| 4018       |     | MUSKEG CREEK         | 5.8            | Unit 3   | 2010         | 2002           | fragile area<br>above alpine<br>zone, no<br>camping<br>recommended                | Area burned by the Velvet Fire in 2011. Expect lots of downed trees. July 2005 - Rises above 7000, patchy snow, pack in areas, with loose talus in some areas as well. 2002- Trail has a bunch of trees on it, but tread is in good condition. The bottom mile of the trail where it comes down to Soldier Creek has over 400 trees down across it. Hard to pull stock through here.   |
| 4029       |     | NORTH FORK ELK CREEK | 10.0           | Unit 3   | 2011         | 2004           | Stock use<br>should be<br>avoided in<br>spring due to<br>fragile, wet<br>meadows. | 2010: Trail cleared to the top of North Fork Elk Creek drainage by Wilderness crew and Backcountry Horsemen, July 2010. Trail in good shape. 2004: Trail cleared and old roadbed filled with native material to promoted re-vegetation and tread narrowing. Bernard fire may have created some additional blow down. Trail cleared to Sulphur Cr. 2002: Trail cleared and in good condition. Passes by large meadows and through old burn before meeting with Sulphur Creek. Logs fall with each wind storm. |
| 4047       |     | PORTER CREEK         | 7.0            | Unit 3   | 2002         | 2009           |   | Area burned in 2011. Cleared in 2009. 2002- Follows old road bed nearly up to ridge. Has approximately 75 trees on section between trailhead and spur trail to Bernard Lake. Cleared from Jct. w/ N. Fork Elk Cr. to Crane Meadows. 2001- Cleared from Jct. w/ N. Fork Elk Cr. to Bernard Lake Spur  |

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| 4007      | 007  | RAPID RIVER            | 20.6      | Unit 3            | 2011         | 2011            | Fire along much of this trail 1979 Mortar Creek fire and 2001 Potter vine fire. Only good stock camps in the vicinity of Cabin Cr. | 8/30/2011: Tread repair accomplished on all of Rapid River between T.H. and confluence with Hardscrabble Creek by MCC crew and Wilderness Trails crew. Trail is clear to 1.5 miles beyond junction with Cabin Creek. 10/2004: tread work was done by NYC crews this summer from wilderness boundary to Sheep Creek. Below Sheep Creek there are slide areas in lose decomposing granite may be impassible to stock (areas are very steep and drop off to Creek). Three trees make the trail impassible to stock between Sheep Creek and Cabin Creek. Boulders bellow Cabin Creek were blasted-out. 6/2003- Cleared of downed trees. Trail generally good up Middle Fork to mouth of Rapid River. 5/20/2003 Cleared from Indian Creek to 1/2 mile below Junction with Hardscrabble Creek or 1 1/2 miles Below Cabin Creek. At this location the trail was washed out due to high water. There are several large rock slides at 1/2 mile above the Jct. or Rapid River with the Middle Fork and @ 1 1/4 mile that make the trail impassable to stock. 2002-Sections above cabin creek are slid out. trail meanders along steep side hill for most of its length. Often tread has slid and is narrow especially inside Mortar Cr fire (1979). |
| 4022      | Q102 | ROUGHNECK              | 2.6       | Unit 3            | 2005         | 2002            | high alpine  | 2005 - well maintained and in good condition, stock has traveled on it 2004 Cleared 2002- Cleared and retread narrow sloughing section 1-2 miles from to Junction and 1 mile above user trail to Mable Lakes. Still Narrow, but passable in switch backs near top.   |
| 4030      | 030  | SHEEP CREEK            | 2.9       | Unit 3            | 2011         | 2011            | Only H20 at<br>Rapid River   | 8/30/2011: Trail cleared to Sheep Mtn. Ridge. Tread narrow, but passable and worst spots repaired, August 2011. 6/2003 Trail Passable, steep in sandy soils. 4 logs down. 7/2001- Cleared. Trail climbs steadily from Rapid River to Sheep Mtn. Ridge.  Mostly open and grassy.  |
| 4005      |      | SHEEP MTN. RIDGE       | 17.0      | Unit 3            | 2010         | 2010            | Camps with H20<br>at 3 miles, 8<br>miles and at<br>outfitter camp at<br>the top of Chet<br>Cr.                                     | 9/2010 Trail cleared. 7/2002- Cleared from Trailhead to Little Loon 100 trees down on rest of trail. Many sections of trail with narrow tread. Expect a lot of trees down in the first 5 miles. Trees fall during any wind. 2001- Trail cleared in its entirety  |
| 4040      |      | SILVER MOON            | 3.0       | Unit 3            | 2001         | 2001            |  | 2001- Trail is steep and goes through old burn as it climbs from Sulphur Creek Ranch to the Camp tender Tr. Trail is heavily logged in.  |

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| 4013          | 013 | SOLDIER BASIN          | 13.5     | Unit 3   | 2011         | 2012            |            | 2012 Trail cleared, a few trees remain on Patrol Ridge and some avalache debris. 2004 Cleared from Josephus to Junction by Big Soldier Lookout. Trail from Patrol ridge down to river has over a hundred trees down. Steep trail but OK for beginners. Lake areas are fragile. Please choose an appropriate campsite for stock.  Try not to stay at Cutthroat Lake W/ Stock, campsite is heavily impacted. |
| 4017          |     | SOLDIER CREEK          | 8.2      | Unit 3   | 2002         | 2002            |            | 10/2004- Trail cleared from the Junction w/ Patrol Ridge down to first crossing of Soldier Creek. Between there and Muskeg Tr. There are a few down trees, but trail is passable. The Rest of the trail Down to Jct. w/ Soldier ridge Tr. Is passable and trees cleared.   |
| 4016          |     | SOLDIER RIDGE          | 7.1      | Unit 3   | 2002         |                 |            | 2002- Trail is O.K. from Greyhound Mine to Bulldog Pass. From here trail takes off ridge and side hills down to Jct. w. Soldier Cr. Trail. Many trees along this section down w/ narrow failing tread. Wouldn't recommend Stock on this side hill section.  No trail signs to identify this trail.   |
| 4021          | 102 | SOUTH FORK FALL CREEK  | 8.2      | Unit 3   | 2005         | 2010            |            | Trail cleared in 2010, Expect some downfall. Bogs are tough to cross with stock.   |
| 4231          |     | WEST FK ELK CREEK      | 2.0      | Unit 3   | 2000         |                 |            | 2000- Trail follows old roadbed for first mile. Follow cairns on east side of creek through burn to saddle. From the saddle go west to find remnants of old trail down to meadow. Good luck finding trail from meadow side.  |
| 4223          |     | CANYON CREEK           | 4.6      | Unit 4   | 2002         |                 |            | 2002 - trail climbs 2500 vertical feet from Marble to Norton Ridge over 5 miles. Stays in Creek Bottom. Extremely brushy, but otherwise passable   |
| 4009          |     | EAST FORK THOMAS CREEK | 5.0      | Unit 4   | 2002         |                 |            | 2003- Trail burned hot '79 Mortar Creek fire. Has not been cleared or redefined. Not Passable. 2002- Unmaintained trail. 20 + year old burn, hundreds of trees down. Probably passable by foot but not stock. "Trail Closed" sign at junction with West Fork Thomas Trail.   |
| 4207          |     | LAKE CREEK             | 8.5      | Unit 4   |              | 2002            |            | 8/21/2002- Trail reconstruction  |
| 4048          |     | LITTLE SOLDIER LOOKOUT | 0.9      | Unit 4   | 2011         | 2010            |            | Trail cleared 2011   |
| 4222          |     | MARBLE CREEK           | 14.4     | Unit 4   | 2008         | 2008            |            | 8/2009 - Cleared and brushed from the Middle Fork to Junction. w/ Canyon Cr. Trail (223). Trail alternates between creek bottom and high hillside. Three fords during the 2 miles past Mitchell ranch make this trail likely to be impassable during high water.   |

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| 4001      | 001   | MIDDLE FORK            | 73.3     | Unit 4   | 2011         | 2012            | Special Order<br>restrictions<br>apply here | May 2012: Cleared from Boundary Creek to Sheepeater Hotsprings. Reports of blocked trail above Pistol Creek (near the Lake Creek Rapid); also difficult to get around slide near Pungo Creek. Camas to Bernard was in good shape. 2011: Trail cleared to standard in May 2011 from confluence of Camas Creek to Indian Creek (35 miles), downstream of Boundary Creek approximately .5 miles downstream of Rams Horn Bridge and, upstream of Dagger Falls to Chicken Creek in July 2011. There are still many small active slides (between Elkhorn and Dome Creeks and also just downstream of Indian Creek GS) which will continue to slide and may cause stock users some trouble. This section is recommended for advanced stock users only. This trail is always changing. |
| 4001.1    | 001.1 | MIDDLE FORK EAST       | 12.7     | Unit 4   | 2011         | 2011            | Special Order restrictions apply here       | 2011 Trail leaves from Little Creek Guard station and continues to the White Creek pack bridge. Good trail with moderate grade, it has more vertical relief that the west side trail.  |
| 4220      |       | NORTON LAKE            | 18.8     | Unit 4   | 2003         | 2003            | Only 2 springs<br>between river<br>and lake | 2002- Trail Extends from the Middle Fork near MF lodge to Norton Lake. Climbs Steadily from the river to Mahoney L.O. and White Cr. Trail. Trail is passable.  |
| 4008      | 800   | WEST FORK THOMAS CREEK | 5.8      | Unit 4   | 2011         | 2011            |   | 3.5 miles of this trail were cleared to standard in May 2011. This trail is used regularly and cleared annually by Middle Fork Lodge. Trail is rather steep from Little Creek G.S. up to 8000 feet. Trail well used by stock.  |
| 4221      |       | WHITE CREEK            | 5.8      | Unit 4   | 2002         | 2002            |   | 2002- Cleared 2002. Trail is a steady climb from river to Norton Ridge. Fairly well used by stock.   |
| 4218      |       | BIG BALDY LO           | 1.2      | Unit 5   | 2002         |                 |   | 2002- This trail is in good condition, two trees in trail, easy to get around. Trail holds snow through July in an average year.   |
| 4227      |       | BIG BALDY RIDGE        | 18.6     | Unit 5   | 2003         | 2003            |   | Oct. 2003: Trail cleared from Divide Trail to Big Baldy LO. Lots of up and down; expect logs across trail. 2002- Cleared from Pistol Rock to Buck Lake. A steep loose section of trail is located near Buck Lake. Between Buck Lake and Big Baldy L.O. trail enters 2000 burn, this section has many trees down and is difficult to find   |
| 4224      |       | BIG CHIEF              | 3.5      | Unit 5   | 2001         |                 |   | 2001- This trail is not recommended!!! Several hundred logs on trail.  Recommended alternative: Mule Hill Trail #219   |
| 4230      |       | FORTY - FIVE CREEK     | 5.5      | Unit 5   | 2001         | 2001            |   | 2001- Most of trail cleared, thin tread near lower end of trail toward Pistol Creek  |

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| 4216      |     | FORTY - FOUR CREEK     | 8.3            | Unit 5   | 2011         | 2011           | Spring near top<br>of trail past<br>Endoah camp | Trail cleared by Treasure Valley Backcountry Horseman from Summit Trail to Pistol<br>Creek   |
| 4226      |     | GARDEN WAY             | 4.1            | Unit 5   | 2011         |                |   | Cleared most years by outfitters   |
| 4031      |     | HONEYMOON              | 6.0            | Unit 5   | 2002         | 2010           |   | 2010- Trail cleared from Artillery Dome Rd. to Morehead L.O. Trail in good shape until trail contours west side of Morehead Mtn. From here trail becomes overgrown w/ small diameter trees. Needs brushed out. 2002- Good ridge trail. Section from Morehead Mtn. To Sulphur Cr. Ranch is steep with low quality tread.              |
| 4225      |     | INDIAN CREEK           | 18.9           | Unit 5   | 2009         | 2002-3         |   | 2009 upper portion badly damaged by fire, below Mule Hill passable with some downed trees and rock. 2002- Trail has lots of ups and downs and stays above creek a fair amount. Poor quality side hill trail tread. Contract Crew reconstruction 2002-3   |
| 4229      |     | LITTLE PISTOL CREEK    | 15.7           | Unit 5   | 2011         | 2011           |   | Cleared to Pistol Lake 2011, expect trees below.7&8/2002- NYC reconstruction. Trail is steep up and down before Pistol Lake. Trail was burned below Savage Cr. In 2000. and has collapsing and narrow tread problems   |
| 4219      |     | MULE HILL              | 2.4            | Unit 5   | 2002         | 2002           |   | 2002- Contract reconstruction. 7/2000 - Fair tread, cleared  |
| 4233      |     | NFK SULPHUR CREEK      | 9.8            | Unit 5   | 2002         | 2002           |   | 2002-Trail Cleared. Generally in good condition. 2000- Trail Cleared   |
| 4228      |     | PISTOL CREEK           | 18.5           | Unit 5   | 2011         | 2011           | Area burnt in fires of 2000                     | Completely cleared by the Selway Bitterroot Frank Church Foundation as of 7/25/12. Cleared to passable by Treasure Valley Back Country Horsemen from the Pistol Creek Trail Head to the 44 cabin. A large majority of the trail is burnt and continues to change expect down trees and stream blow-outs.                             |
| 4046      |     | SULPHUR CREEK          | 3.5            | Unit 5   | 2002         | 2004           |   | Often cleared by Sulfur Cr. Outfitters. 2004- Trail cleared, although several boggy sections represent hazard to stock users especially one 1/2 mile from TH and again above and below the Ranch. 2002- Trail Cleared. Trail is generally good from Sulphur Cr. Road to Middle Fork Trail, has a few boggy areas 2000- Trail cleared |
| 4215      | 215 | SULPHUR CREEK CUTOFF   | 2.1            | Unit 5   | 2003         | 2003           | Creek crossing<br>deep in high<br>water         | 2003: Cleared 8/6/03. 2002- Trail cleared. Trail is boggy, but is shorter in distance from Sulphur Creek Ranch to Boundary.  |
| 4118      |     | SUMMIT TRAIL           | 17.2           | Unit 5   | 2010         | 2010           |   | Trail cleared fall of 2010. 2004- Trail cleared and in relatively good shape. Where trail climbs out of Indian Cr. towards Mule Hill tread is narrow and out sloped. 2002-Trail cleared. In good condition overall, some narrow sections north of Chilcoot Pass. A very scenic trail that follows along ridge tops for 17 miles      |

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| 4461      | ARTILLERY DOME ROAD<br>(WINTER TRAIL)         | 26.8      | Winter         |              |                  |            |                  |
| 4465      | BEAVER CREEK / SEAFOAM<br>ROAD (WINTER TRAIL) | 19.9      | Winter         |              |                  |            |                  |
| 4462      | BOUNDRY CREEK ROAD<br>CORRIDOR (WINTER TRAIL) | 30.6      | Winter         |              |                  |            |                  |
| 4466      | LOON CREEK ROAD (WINTER<br>TRAIL)             | 47.4      | Winter         |              |                  |            |                  |
| 4468      | MEYERS COVE ROAD (WINTER TRAIL)               | 15.0      | Winter         |              |                  |            |                  |
| 4467      | SLEEPING DEER ROAD<br>(WINTER TRAIL)          | 15.0      | Winter         |              |                  |            |                  |